

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Wolfgang Kalthoff et al.	Examiner:	Thomas J. Dailey
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE DECISION OF THE EXAMINER  
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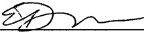
In compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 41.31(a)(1), Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated November 12, 2008, of the Examiner rejecting claims 1, 5-6, and 12-87 of the above-identified patent application.

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